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Openness and Fairness

By M. M. Eshelman

Having with a few others given about five months free to securing the right of way through Tropicó for the Pacific Electric and Brand Boulevard, I cannot be truthfully charged with being opposed to public improvements, but there is a difference. Then there were no crooked lines to pen the many out away from the heavy burdens and the few in to carry the full weight. The proposed Sycamore Canyon Boulevard is neither open nor fair. Examine carefully the lines of the assessment district. Does it miss Every Trustee? Notice how it crooks and turns—Is it to miss special favorites?

A part of the proposed district is still under the weight of improving East Cypress Street and Boynton Avenue. I was assessed \$578.00 on a piece of property that only brought \$1600.00. Before the street was improved I could have received \$1500.00, so I got \$100.00 that cost me \$800.00. Would it be fair for the people who must pay, first to know the cost of the Boulevard? Can this be pried open? Second, have the people who have to pay for the construction a just right to know the cost at this time? Can this be shined out of darkness? Why should not the common people be allowed to enjoy a brief rest from burdensome taxes? Why should not the City of Glendale pay for building boulevards? The few who suffer to build them do not wear them out. With all the necessities of life at high cost, and going higher, far more millionaires will be made.

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Pauline Frederick in "Out Of The Shadow"

And the Hearst Pathe News Pictorial.

TUESDAY, April 22

Mabel Normand in "A Perfect 36"

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WEDNESDAY, April 23

Fred Stone in "The Goat"

Also Lyons-Moran Comedy, "Oh Ethel"

THURSDAY, April 24

Harry Carey in "A Fight For Love"

Also a two-reel Vitagraph comedy, "Bums And Boarders"

FRIDAY, April 25

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JACK, JIM AND DAN—A HUSKY TRIO

During the last few days Joe Griffin, who lives on West Acacia Street, has been seen parading the streets with his head high up in the air, his chest thrown 'way out in front, and seemingly he would not see anybody or anything as he "strutted" down the street. Several of Joe's friends became worried about his sudden change, and when his actions were reported to the Herald office, the editor, being a good friend of Joe, sent a reporter up to the house to find out what the trouble was. Well, now, you friends of Joe needn't worry, because his affliction is nothing serious, and if you could see what the reporter saw, you wouldn't blame Joe for acting like a Bantam rooster. Now the facts of the case are that on last Tuesday the stork came to Joe's house and left a 10½ pound baby—and it was a boy!

This is the third baby which has been left at Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Griffin's home, and it is also the third boy. They have named him Daniel Edward Griffin, and both the mother and baby are doing fine.

Jack and Jim, the elder brothers of the new arrival, are two of the most robust and attractive youngsters of our acquaintance. The phrase "Jack and Jim" has become as popular in this community as "Jack and Jill." Now with the addition of Daniel Edward, who bids fair to equal them, forms a sturdy trio, which we predict will make themselves felt on the future activities of the community.

The Herald extends congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Griffin, and shouts a Hurrah for the trio, Jack, Jim and Dan, long may they live!

P. S. Just before going to press we learn that "Joe" is slowly improving, and friends expect him to be about normal in another week.



Raz Tucker Sez:

Of all attempts to say something and then say nothing, witness the ex-mayor's attempt to answer Mr. Duke in another local paper.

THE PARK MEMORIAL QUESTION

While the vote, 135 to 18, in favor of the proposed "park and civic center plan" of the G. G. D. A. at its meeting last Tuesday evening would seem to indicate that almost everybody was in favor of the proposition, yet when the taxpayer goes to vote on a \$200,000 bond proposition, we don't think he will be quite so enthusiastic. With the \$2.50 additional taxes which is the estimated amount on each \$1000 assessment, and with the fact that an increased levy for the county has already been decided on by the County Supervisors, and also that on the same bond proposition will be another \$200,000 to look after the debts and needs of the "self-supporting" and "self-bond-paying" Public Service Department, will be enough to make him think twice before voting "yes" when he thinks how hard it was to pay the taxes this year.

City Clerk Sherer, though with the

minority, hit the nail on the head when he said:

"I am opposed to spending \$200,000 for something which does not pay its own way, for anything which is purely a luxury, and I regard the park project as purely a luxury. I do not believe the men demand it."

CONGRESSMAN RANDALL HERE

The Herald office acknowledges a pleasant call from Congressman Chas. H. Randall the first of the week. Among other matters discussed was the Tropicco Branch Post Office situation, and it is probable that an effort to re-establish the "box service" for the benefit of the local business men will be made in the near future. Mr. Randall has the interests of his constituents very much at heart, and is winning additional laurels by his work in Congress along lines, not political, but beneficial.

PRE-EASTER SERVICES

Special pre-Easter services are being held this week in a number of the Glendale churches. At the Presbyterian Church an interesting meeting has been in progress for the past two weeks with preaching by Rev. French E. Oliver. Meetings have been held at the Congregational Church each evening for more than a week, with addresses by a number of prominent men from other places. A similar plan has been in use this week at the First Methodist Church. Rev. Clifford A. Cole, the pastor, is preaching each evening at the Christian Church. Other churches are giving special attention to meetings fitting for the season, and all will hold appropriate services on Sunday.

Five athletes will represent Glendale at the Southern California Track meet to be held in Los Angeles today. The list includes the fast relay team of our school.

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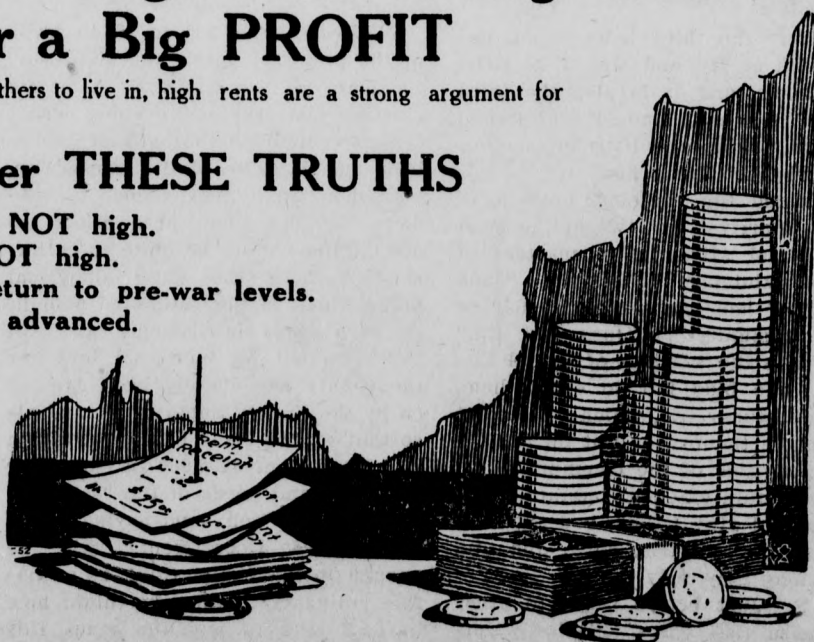
Because, Remember THESE TRUTHS

- Building materials are NOT high.
- Building wages are NOT high.
- Wages will NEVER return to pre-war levels.
- Living standards have advanced.

High wages make high rents more certain.

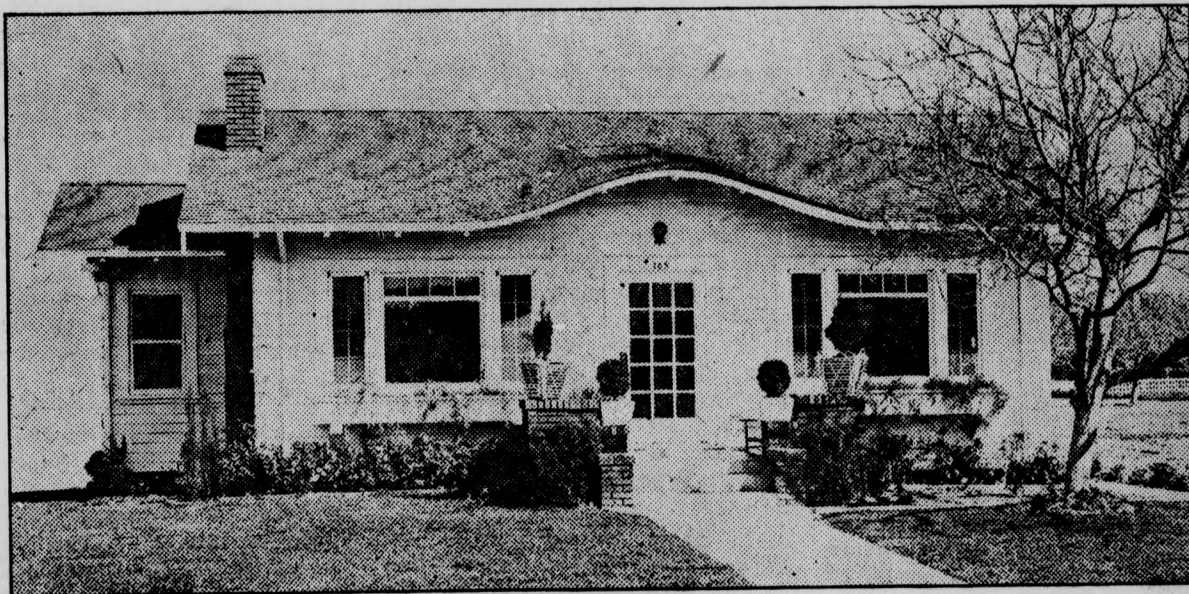
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Professor Irving Fisher, of Yale University, probably the country's first authority on the subject of uniform prices, has given the matter of after-war adjustments his most careful consideration, and he confirms the conviction that has been growing in the minds of all business men, namely, that present prices (and especially is this true of building materials) are not temporary, but permanent, and advises those who are in need of improvement or are contemplating any kind of construction that it be undertaken at once.

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LOCAL HAPPENINGS

Miss Lillian Haefley will give an illustrated address tomorrow (Sunday) evening in the Presbyterian Church of Tropic on Jews of Jerusalem, Los Angeles, and this country. Miss Haefley comes highly recommended as a speaker, and a cordial invitation is extended to all to be present.

The Seventh Grade pupils of the Cerritos School, with their teacher, Miss Douglas, and several of the mothers as chaperons, picniced at Brookside Park, Thursday.

Friday afternoon the four daughters of Mrs. John Crane entertained 14 guests in honor of their mother's birthday. She was showered with beautiful and useful gifts, and enjoyed the occasion very much. A delightful luncheon was served.

Mrs. Anna L. Smith is in a serious condition at her home, 327 Riverdale Drive, as the result of a stroke of paralysis Sunday. She had a like attack about two years ago. Relatives are taking care of her. Her millinery store at 133 South Brand Boulevard has been closed, as it seems unlikely that she will be able to resume business soon.

Mrs. Ida M. Meyer died suddenly in Los Angeles last Tuesday, of heart trouble. She had arrived from her Montana home with her husband only the day before. They were old friends of J. W. Birney, who is connected with the L. G. Scovern Undertaking Co., and who prepared the remains for shipment to Roundup, Montana.

Superintendent Richardson D. White was the speaker last Monday at the meeting of the P.-T. A. of the Intermediate School, Judge Sidney Reeves of the Juvenile Court being unable to be present. Mr. White explained the proposed civic center plan.

Miss Elizabeth Jackson resigned a short time ago from her position as a teacher in the Intermediate school. Last Tuesday she left for

Chicago to be married to Mr. A. M. Seland. Mrs. M. A. Rucker takes her place at the school.

Miss McKee, of Los Angeles, a former resident of Tropic, was an Atwater Park visitor this week.

Jamie Shea, of the 40th Division, Headquarters Troop, and a comrade, Mr. Felby, of Ventura, have received their discharges, and are at the Shea home on South Brand. The 40th Division was in overseas service, and like the majority of our returned soldiers, the "boys" are looking fit, and have appreciated and profited by their experiences.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Harshman, of Los Angeles, former residents of Tropic, are receiving congratulations upon the arrival of a daughter, at the California Hospital, Monday, April 7th.

The ladies of the Presbyterian Church were entertained Thursday

afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. F. D. Myers, Mrs. Samuel Ayres and Mrs. Myers being the hostesses.

Mrs. Olive Milburn, of Ontario, Canada, died Wednesday afternoon at the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. George L. Stevens, 216 Arden Avenue. She was 32 years of age. The L. G. Scovern Company took charge of the body, which has been sent back to her home.

Mrs. John Crane, of South Glendale Avenue, is confined to her bed with a severe attack of bronchitis.

Special stereopticon talks at the Presbyterian Church for the next five Sunday nights.

Mrs. M. M. Schout entertained at her home on Perlita Avenue on Thursday evening the following guests, all of whom were former residents of Greenville, Pennsylvania: Dr. and Mrs. G. H. Stuart, Mrs. Fred Appleton, Misses Rosalie and Celinda Cook, Mrs. Jennie Black, Misses Anna and Mary Clift, Misses Ermla and Frances Black, Miss Adda Burch, Mrs. J. W. McMillen, and Mrs. Henry Grauel. A very pleasant evening was spent, and delicious refreshments were served.

John Peterson died Sunday at the home of his son-in-law, John M. De-war, 408 Arden Avenue, of pneumonia, after only a week's residence here. His wife is in a Los Angeles hospital, critically ill of the same disease. He was a retired contractor. Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon, the L. G. Scovern Company in charge.

MAY-DAY DINNER

The May-Day dinner to be given by the Kensington Club at the G. A. R. Hall on May 1st, promises to be an event of great interest, pleasure, and satisfaction to the inner man. The 25c dinner served at 6:30, with a good program afterwards, will please all who attend. Come, and bring your friends.

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BARTON ELLISON PASSES AWAY

Barton Ellison, of 323 Cerritos Avenue, passed away Thursday afternoon, April 10, 1919, at 2:55 o'clock, after a prolonged illness. For 35 years he had been a resident of California, and for seven years had lived in Glendale. He leaves a widow, Nancy Ellison, and a daughter, Mrs. Iva A. Robinson. Funeral services were held at the grave at 3 o'clock Saturday afternoon, and were in charge of Unity Lodge, F. and A. M. Deceased was a member of Traver Lodge, Kingsburg, Calif. Interment was made in Forest Lawn Memorial Park, the Scovern Company in charge.

The Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the Methodist Church at Tropic held a most interesting meeting at the home of Mrs. Tisdale on Friday afternoon. Mrs. H. S. Munger had charge of the study book, and Mrs. J. W. McMillen of the devotions. Mrs. D. Rider gave a most interesting address on "How to Create an Interest in Missionary Society Work." Every woman and girl is a member of the missionary society in the Tropic Church. Miss Burch, president of the society, had a pleasant surprise for the society in the shape of a check for \$25, which completes the Thank Offering asked for of \$50, and will be used for supporting a Bible Woman in India. All money pledged at the Thank Offering may be given to the president of the society or to Mrs. P. O. Lucas, and will be credited. A life member will be chosen at the next meeting. Delicious refreshments were served by the hostess. Mrs. Tisdale will have charge of the study book at the next meeting.

EASTER SERVICES

With "Sunrise Services" on Eagle Rock, Mount Verdugo, Mount Rubidoux, and also in the spacious Greek Theatre at Owensmouth, with the special and appropriate services at all the churches, and while Venice has special attractions of her own, the question of how to celebrate Easter should not be a difficult one.

Miss Abbie Burns, of Pasadena, is the guest of Mrs. J. W. McMillen, of Perlita Avenue.

IF YOU WANT to sign the Petition of Protest, or want any information regarding the

Sycamore Canyon Boulevard

Telephone any of the following people:—

T. J. Hammond, 110 Cypress	Glendale 256-W
G. M. Ballantyne 1236 Glendale Ave.	Glendale 1287-W
Bungalow Grocery 715 E. Acacia	Glendale 665-J
Mrs. Mary Ayers, 215 E. Palmer	Glendale 337-W
J. C. Leitch, 612 E. Palmer	Glendale 1685
Mrs. H. E. Litten, 1013 E. Palmer	Glendale 1168

GLENDALE MAIL SCHEDULE

Mail Arrive	Mail Depart
6:32 a. m.	8:30 a. m.
12:52 a. m.	12:26 p. m.
1:32 p. m.	6:15 p. m.
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"DUTCH" HOFFMAN HOME

Elmer Hoffman, son of Mrs. Nettie Hoffman, of 1214 East Stanley Avenue, arrived home Sunday morning, after ten months in overseas service with the 37th Engineers.

He was with the first troops to enter Germany, crossing the Rhine December 1st, and arriving at Coblenz December 6th. He was in the fighting in the Argonne.

COMMITTEES APPOINTED

The most important business of the meeting of the local Elks' Lodge last Monday evening was the appointment of committees as follows:

Auditing—Edward S. Lawrence, R. H. Kimball, D. S. Phillips.

Big Brother Committee—Albert D. Pearce, H. M. Miller, Stephen Packer.

Library Committee—W. M. Kimball, A. T. Cowan, Dr. A. L. Bryant.

Lapsation Committee—A. H. Dibern, Peter L. Ferry, W. E. Heald.

Jinks Committee—Joe Fortunato, C. Letts, W. Butterly, S. Simon and

V. McCartney.

House Committee—Joe Fortunato, R. Borthick, James Mason, C. H. Clausenius and B. Viohl.

DEATH OF MRS. THOLEN

Mrs. Emil F. Tholen died at her home on South Brand, last Sunday night, after a brief illness of only a week, of pneumonia, following influenza.

Her husband, Dr. Tholen, was in Hospital Unit No. 30, and is on his way home from France.

Mrs. Tholen was a member of Chapter L of the P. E. O., and took a prominent part in that and other local social affairs, and will be sadly missed. She leaves a son, little three-year-old Robert, and her father, Mr. A. B. Shepherd, but the saddest of all is the returning to the desolate home of the bereaved husband, who will have the heartfelt sympathy of the community.

Funeral arrangements will await word from Dr. Tholen. The body is

in charge of the L. G. Scovern Company. Up to Thursday night friends had been unable to get word of his wife's death to the doctor.

ATWATER ACTIVITIES

Mr. Beardsley, of Los Angeles, has purchased the Foster property on Atwater, and taken possession.

Mrs. Lynn Lloyd Rowan, of Perlita Avenue, has sold her home to Sumner Hamilton, of LaCiede Avenue, who will take possession on Monday.

Mr. Lee, of Los Angeles, will build a modern bungalow, Colonial style of architecture, on his lot on Atkater Avenue.

Lava Warm After Thirty Years

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PROCEEDINGS OF BOARD OF TRUSTEES

Regular meeting of the Board of Trustees of the City of Glendale, April 17th, 1919. The Board assembled at 8 p. m. All members present except Trustee Shaw. Minutes of the last regular meeting were read and approved. On suggestion of the City Clerk a change was made in the minutes on page 103, book 7, in reference to bids, making the same to read "Recommendation of the Engineer of the Public Service Department" instead of "City Manager."

The chairman called for oral communications, there being a number of citizens present.

Mr. Alspach addressed the Board, stating that he believed there were some citizens present who wished to withdraw their names from the petition for the opening and widening of Sycamore Canyon Road Southwesterly from the old City limits on the Childs Tract line. Mr. Alspach stated that he did not intend to protest the proceedings; that the City Manager had taken up the matter of a change in the proposed route, and he desired merely to call the attention of the Board to the matter so that there should be no misunderstanding. The Chairman of the Board stated that it is the opinion of the City Attorney that no petition is necessary to institute such proceedings and that the petition had been circulated merely to obtain the expression of opinion from the property owners. City Manager stated that he had taken the matter up with property owners in the vicinity, and hoped to be able later to make certain recommendations which would meet the objections that had been stated.

At this time the Chairman of the Board declared opening of bids for supplies for the Public Service Department in accordance with advertisement for same. On motion bids were referred to Engineer of Public Service Department for recommendation.

A number of citizens representing the different bakeries of the City were present and presented their petition signed by Henry Walsma and five others, requesting the Board of Trustees to protect the local bakers by instituting a tax on non-resident and outside bakeries and wholesalers who sell bakery goods in this territory. The City Attorney stated that it is difficult to frame an ordinance to accomplish the purpose desired by the local bakeries. On motion the petition was referred to the City Clerk to correspond with other cities having ordinances covering this matter, and report.

A communication was read from J. W. Pearson and others asking that

the incinerator in the rear of 118 W. Broadway be removed. In this case the City Manager reported that he had taken this matter up immediately on the request of the petitioners for the removal of the incinerator, which had been complied with. Commutation was ordered to be filed.

Report of the Tax Collector was presented for the week ending on this date showing collections to be \$3,213.23; total to date for the season, \$66,390.86.

City Attorney reported that he had been unable as yet to get agreement signed by Forest Grove Land Company in reference to matters in connection with the water question in Verdugo Canyon, but had been assured by the Attorney for the Company that the same would be signed in a few days.

On motion of Trustee Woodberry, seconded by Trustee Jackson, it was ordered that the salary of the City Recorder be fixed at \$100 per month beginning April 1st, 1919, and that beginning July 1st, 1919, the same be fixed at \$110 per month.

WITH THE SAGES

The first and worst of all frauds is to cheat oneself.—Bailey.

He is great who can do what he wishes; he is wise who wishes to do what he can.—Ifland.

Gratitude is not only the memory but the homage of the heart—rendered to God for his goodness.—N. P. Willis.

The power of fortune is confessed only by the miserable, for the happy impute all their success to prudence or merit.—Swift.

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The famous D. W. Griffith star, Dorothy Gish, is to be seen at the Palace Grand Theatre today, in her very latest picture, "Boots." She is



DOROTHY GISH
in "Boots"
A Paramount Picture

the same funny little girl who was the "little disturber" in "Hearts of the World," and who succeeded so well in "Battling Jane" and "The Hope Chest." On the same program is shown a two-reel comedy, "Bears and Bad Men," featuring Larry Seamon. This is an exceptional comedy, full of clever action, and is surely a scream. There is also a Paramount-Bray cartoon and pictograph. The matinee begins promptly at 2:30, and the evening shows at 7:00 and 9:00.

The big Frohman stage success, "The Lion and the Mouse," will be

presented tomorrow, Sunday, April 20. This is a big special production, and features Alice Joyce. On the same program is a rollicking Mack Sennett comedy, "The Village Smithy." It is full of stunts. Matinee starts at 2:30, and there are two evening shows, at 7:00 and 9:00 o'clock.

E. W. Hornung's famous play, "Out of the Shadow," is the feature for Monday. This is the latest picture of the famous emotional star, Pauline Frederick. Pathe News Events will be shown also. The matinee begins at 2:30. Evening shows at 7:15 and 9:00 o'clock.

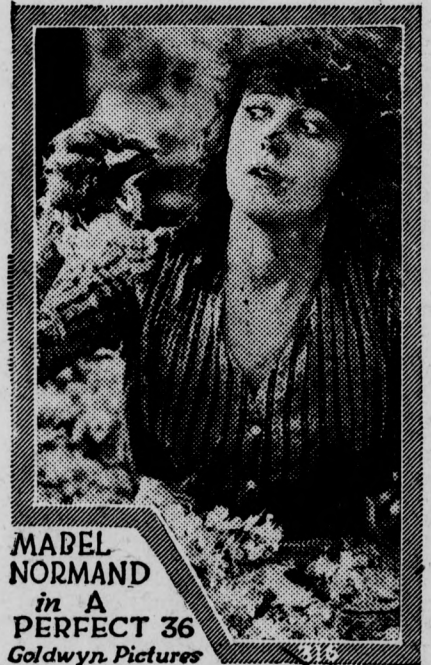
Mabel Normand, the star of "Mickey," will appear here on Thursday evening in her very latest joyous comedy romance, "A Perfect 36." A dive and a dip, and she conquered 'em all. There is on the same program a Christie Comedy, "5000 or Bust." There is no matinee of this program. For the afternoon the theatre will be in charge of the Tuesday Afternoon Club of Glendale, and a six-reel picture will be presented, "The Bonfires of Old Nations," by Marion Craig Wentworth, who will be there in person and give the prologue. Admission will be 50 cents. Club members will be admitted by membership card. The presentation will begin at 2:30 o'clock.

Fréd Stone, the world's greatest acrobatic comedian, who has only recently entered the picture field, will be seen here on Wednesday, in his latest picture, "The Goat." It is full of thrills and hair-raising stunts. On the same program is a Lyons-Moran comedy, "Oh, Ethel." Matinee as usual, at 2:30. Evening shows at 7:15 and 9:00 o'clock.

Another brand new picture, shown

here first, is offered for Thursday, April 24. This is the daring Western horseman, Harry Carey, in "A Fight for Love." It is a fast Western romantic story. On the same program is a vitagraph comedy, "Bums and Boarders," featuring Montgomery & Rock. Matinee begins at 2:30. Evening shows at 7:15 and 9:00 o'clock.

The days of sweet sixteen are presented in the big special attraction,



"Puppy Love," featuring Lila Lee and Charley Murray. The story is by Monte M. Ketterjohn. Here Friday. Matinee at 2:30. Evening shows at 7:15 and 9:00 o'clock.

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Jottings By The Way

By The Rambler

Oh, you Easter Rabbit.

Chas Hapgood is reported to be still seriously ill.

Mules and children are always cute—when they are babies.

The Hinkley and Baird families are among our new residents on Gardena Avenue.

Daylight saving is a great help for the garden patch. But, oh, you morning sleep!

Frank G. Baker and family are now residing at 1715 Gardena Avenue.

The bathing season is now open. Bring on that swimming pool et cetera.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Stockbridge have gone to Riverside for the summer.

It takes a woman to always tell the truth—about another woman.

The Insleys are now in their new home on West Park Avenue.

Something doing on the San Fernando Road all the time. Headlines for the past week were the Mob Scene enacted by the M. P. actors in the rear of the hardware store, and the Ford driver who tried to pull off some British tank stuff by ramming the front of the Pacific Garage building.

Mrs. S. E. Wright, of South Glendale Avenue, is reported on the sick list.

The K. P.'s had an interesting meeting this week. Hibbert and Templeton's stuff was pronounced a success.

If the Golden Rule were the universal creed of mankind? Oh, well, what's the use?

They do say that old maids rush in where widows fear to tread.

Why is an alphabet chaser?

Repeated failure proves that the world is getting on to your curves. Take him out of the box!

Some say that love is a disease and marriage an error. Still, of course no one believes them.

William Batty and family have moved to San Bernardino.

Ever contemplate upon true friendship?

When you feel a grouch coming on tell yourself a funny story—or lock yourself up.

A boy's 10 commandments—"Don't."

Wake up. Take a long breath and then run around the block. Mix in, fellow! Believe me; the world do move. Better get in line.

One by one they pass on to the Great Beyond.

We have no vice squad here, thank goodness, but seems we could use a

couple more traffic cops.

The Brown family, of Pasadena, are now residents at 1133 South San Fernando Road.

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In the passing of Barton Ellison, of 323 West Cerritos Avenue, the community loses a good man.

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INAUGURAL DANCE

The inaugural dance at the Elks' Club House last Saturday night was much enjoyed by those who attended. Special features were the program of fancy dancing provided by pupils from the Pearl Keller School, and a solo by Norman Otis.

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be long until the Sanitarium block and the block adjoining it on the west will begin to be transformed into a civic center and playground. The proposal has frequently been discussed at the meetings of the Greater Glendale Development Association, and this meeting was called for the purpose of bringing the matter before a larger number of people, and giving the opposition a chance to be heard, as well as the arguments of those who favor the plan.

Edwin Pierce presided over the meeting, and Prof. Richardson D. White, chairman of the Park Committee of the Development Association, presented the plan that has been developed during the past few weeks. This plan calls for the purchase of the present grounds of the Glendale Sanitarium and also the block to the west of that one, with the exception of that part occupied by the First Methodist Church. On this ground it is proposed to erect an auditorium to seat 2500 people, also a gymnasium with floor large enough for two basketball courts, and also to provide a swimming pool, tennis courts and other things of that character. This, it is estimated, will cost a total of a little less than \$200,000, and will require an annual expenditure for upkeep, of about \$8,000. The idea is for the city to establish this as a memorial to the Glendale boys who have been in service in the world war.

The plans were explained to the audience, and a number of people spoke in its favor, including E. U. Emery, Claud O. Pulliam, Alexander Mitchell, A. W. Scudder, C. R. Norton, Mrs. A. A. Barton, and Charles Chandler. J. C. Sherer expressed the opinion that the outlay was unnecessarily large, and that he would be in favor of a more modest undertaking. Mrs. James Mullen wished to know something of the proposed control of the playgrounds. Representatives of the local G. A. R. Post expressed it as the unanimous wish of that organization that the project be carried through.

Mr. Beldin challenged the patriotism of all in favor of the undertaking by proposing instead that some industry be established for the purpose of giving work to the returning heroes instead of carrying out the proposed plan. He offered to support such a measure generously if the members of the Development Association would do the same. Several others spoke, and a substitute plan or two was presented.

When the vote was finally taken, it showed that of those present at that time, 135 were in favor of endorsing the plan as prepared, and recommending that the city council call an election for bonds of \$200,000, while 18 were opposed.

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While not saying so in so many words, information that comes from federal heads in Washington and from other sources to the Building Development Committee is, in effect, equivalent to saying "I told you so." In other words, the nation is not only back to normal, but is ahead of old normal averages in building and construction projects, so far as money values are concerned.

These are the figures which the first three weeks in March tell the authorities in Washington, after tabulations and comparisons have been made, and the indications are that April is now double riveting the splendid record of the preceding month.

In 1911, for the month of March, the building outlay of the nation was \$69,000,000; in 1912, \$73,000,000; in 1913, \$64,000,000; in 1914, \$59,000,000; in 1915, \$76,000,000 and, in 1916 \$95,000,000. Now Washington sends out the glad news that for the first three weeks of March, with over a full week missing, the building permits of the nation aggregated \$96,619,791, the last of the three weeks alone mounting up to \$39,017,308. If that week's figures were used for the missing week of March, the total for March's building permits would be \$135,637,099. Compared with this last total is \$96,000,000 for the month of March, 1916—the best March between 1911 and 1917, all of which were "pre-war years."

In dollars, March, 1919, appears to lead the 1911-1916 March average by over \$40,000,000. Even admitting, therefore, that present cost levels are higher, they could be 50 per cent higher than the pre-war years—which they are not—and March, 1919, would still measure up to a strong pre-war normal.

These figures are official and come from the United States Department of Labor, and therefore are dependable.

As if to emphasize the warnings put out by the Building Development Committee that the supply of building labor would quickly be absorbed and depleted, contractors the present week are actually confronting a shortage of carpenters and, if returning soldier contingents do not speed-

ily swell the supply, an appeal for outside carpenters seems almost certain to occur soon. This situation merely serves to emphasize the fact, it is pointed out, that building labor wages are as low as they will be and if the present supply falls further below even the present demand, not to mention increased future demand, it seems almost certain that building labor wages will shortly begin rising.

The warning is repeated, therefore,

from the Building Development Committee's headquarters that to "build now" is the safest and most logical thing to do.

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pertaining to the county work alone. State reports published are not included in this. 319 columns from the Union, making a grand total of 4393 columns.

The City Federation met on Wednesday for its all-day monthly session. The morning session was devoted to business. In the afternoon Congressman Randall made a splendid address on prohibition. Councilmen Mallard, Creswell, Cleveland and Conaway were present and made brief addresses, also Mr. Sanborn, a new candidate for Council. Mrs. Julia

D. Phelps, County President, presented the plans and program of the coming county convention at Pomona, beginning Wednesday. Leaders in the Department Demonstrations Wednesday are Miss Stickney and Dr. Howard, on Thursday, Miss Adda Burch and Mrs. F. W. Davenport, on Friday, Mrs. Patterson. On Thursday evening "The Exile of John Barleycorn," a grand pageant, will be the attraction and Mrs. Kara S. Root. Friday afternoon Mrs. Stella B. Irvine, Mrs. M. W. Law; Friday evening, Congressman Randall and Mrs. Hester T. Griffith.

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